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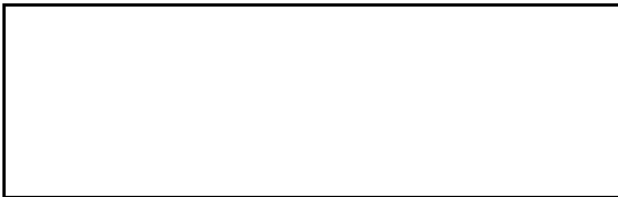
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Thank you for your letter of May 24, 1978. The Central Intelligence Agency has no objection to your testifying before the Subcommittee on Evaluation of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence on the subject of terrorism. Further, there is no objection to your identifying yourself as having been an intelligence operations officer of the CIA with experience in counterterrorism. It is understood from your letter that your testimony will be based exclusively on overt information and thus would not involve the disclosure of any intelligence sources and methods.

We appreciate the courtesy you extended in requesting permission to identify yourself as a former Agency officer.

Sincerely,

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I have been asked to testify on June 7 before the Subcommittee on Evaluation of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives on the subject of terrorism. The Subcommittee's interest in this instance is an overview of terrorism, not the response of the Executive Branch to terrorism. My testimony would be based on overt information. I would be introduced as having been an intelligence operations officer of the CIA with experience in counterterrorism. Permission is hereby requested to so identify myself.

Mr. Patrick Long, associate counsel of the Committee, and Mr. Herbert Romerstein, staff member, assure me that no question will be asked that would violate security nor will there be questions about Agency sources and methods.

Sincerely,

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STAT FROM : [redacted] 6 JUN 1978

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SUBJECT:

STAT Letter to [redacted] regarding his testifying before Subcommittee on Evaluation of HPSCI

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